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## Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)

The amendment document filed on 3/21/05 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121. In order for the amendment document to be compliant, correction of the following item(s) is required. Only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment document must be resubmitted (in its entirety), e.g., the entire "Amendments to the claims" section of applicant's amendment document must be re-submitted. 37 CFR 1.121(h).

## THE FOLLOWING CHECKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT:

- ☐ 1. Amendments to the specification:
- ☐ A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings.
  - ☐ B. New paragraph(s) should not be underlined.
  - ☐ C. Other \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ 2. Abstract:
- ☐ A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72.
  - ☐ B. Other \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ 3. Amendments to the drawings: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ 4. Amendments to the claims:
- ☐ A. A complete listing of all of the claims is not present.
  - ☐ B. The listing of claims does not include the text of all pending claims (including withdrawn claims)
  - ☒ C. Each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each claim cannot be identified. Note: the status of every claim must be indicated after its claim number by using one of the following 7 status identifiers: (Original), (Currently amended), (Canceled), (Withdrawn), (Previously presented), (New) and (Not entered).
  - ☐ D. The claims of this amendment paper have not been presented in ascending numerical order.
  - ☐ E. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

For further explanation of the amendment format required by 37 CFR 1.121, see MPEP Sec. 714 and the USPTO website at <http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/dapp/opla/preognotice/officeflyer.pdf>.

If the non-compliant amendment is a **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**, applicant is given **ONE MONTH** from the mail date of this letter to supply the corrected section which complies with 37 CFR 1.121. Failure to comply with 37 CFR 1.121 will result in non-entry of the preliminary amendment and examination on the merits will commence without consideration of the proposed changes in the preliminary amendment(s). This notice is not an action under 35 U.S.C. 132, and this **ONE MONTH** time limit is not extendable.

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Claims 1 and 2 Canceled.

Claim 3: Previously Presented. A loading dock light according to claim 37 wherein said mounting of the pipe bollard light fixture allows the light to swing in front of the bollard in the working position.

Claim 4: Currently Amended. A loading dock light according to claim 37 wherein said mounting of the pipe bollard light [tixture] ~~fixtue~~ fixture allows the light to swing in behind of the bollard out of the working position.

Claims 5-13 Canceled.

Claim 14: Currently Amended. A loading dock light according to claim [18] 37 wherein the [head] design of bulb location, [frame design,] and cooling holes provides a cool surface to the touch.

Claim 15: Currently Amended. A loading dock light according to claim 14 wherein the light bulb is mounted in [a] an adjustable fixed head design.

Claim 16: Previously Amended. A loading dock light according to claim 14, wherein said hinge design of the light fixture includes a horizontal axis swing design allowing the light fixture to swing in and out on a fixed horizontal plane without sagging.

Claim 17: Previously Amended. A loading dock light according to claim 14, wherein said design of the light fixture includes a standard par 30 light bulb.